

**PATENT**

Docket No. :

SAM0016/US

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*IFW***Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal**

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Inventor(s): Julie Y. Qian  
Application No. : 10/676,371  
Filed: September 30, 2003  
Title: ADJUVANTS FOR POSITIVELY CHARGED TONERS

Group Art Unit: 1756  
Examiner: Christopher D. Rodee

**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.**

**1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. ☒ Previously submitted  
i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on December 19, 2005.

(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.  
b. ☒ Enclosed  
i. ☐ Amendment/Reply  
ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)  
iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/Supplemental IDS  
iv. ☒ Other Communication

2. ☐ A Request for Extension of Time is being filed concurrently.

3. ☒ Please use the correspondence address associated with **Customer Number 33072**.

**4. Fees** (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)

- a. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees or any additional fees to:  
Deposit Account No. 50-1775.  
i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) (\$790.00)  
ii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.  
b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$790.00 is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1775.

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Respectfully submitted,

Signature
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Printed Name: Dale A. Bjorkman

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